



ATTORNEY DOCKETN NO. 3568

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN THE APPLICATION OF: Masahiro Yasuda)
SERIAL NO.: 10/796,729) Group Art Unit: 3732
FILED: 03/09/2004) Examiner: Todd E. Manahan
FOR: HAIR CLIP)

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE

The Honorable Commissioner of
Patents and Trademarks
Alexandria Virginia 22313-1450

I certify that this document is being deposited on October 11, 2005 with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450.

Vasilios D. Dossas
Printed Name of Person Mailing Correspondence

Vasilios Dossas
Signature of Person Mailing Correspondence

Sir:

The applicants submit British Reference No. 992,417 which corresponds to French Reference No. 1,317,575 along with Form PTO-1449 and respectfully requests that the Office make these two references of record.

Respectfully submitted,

NIRO SCAVONE HALLER & NIRO
181 W. Madison Street, Suite 4600
Chicago, Illinois 60602
(312) 236-0733

Dated: October 11, 2005

Vasilios Dossas

Vasilios D. Dossas
Registration No. 30,745

Substitute for form 1449/PTO

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(Use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet 1

of 1

Complete if Known

Application Number	10/796.729
--------------------	------------

Filing Date	03/09/2004
-------------	------------

First Named Inventor	Masahiro Yasuda
----------------------	-----------------

Art Unit	3732
----------	------

Examiner Name	Todd Manahan
---------------	--------------

Attorney Docket Number	3568
------------------------	------

U. S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

[illegible]

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS						
Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Foreign Patent Document	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages Or Relevant Figures Appear	T ⁶
		Country Code ³ *Number ⁴ *Kind Code ⁵ (if known)				
		FR 131757	1963			
		BR 992,417	05-19-1965	Giovanni Longhi		

Examiner Signature		Date Considered	
-----------------------	--	--------------------	--

¹EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. ² Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ³ See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ⁴ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁵ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁶ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. ⁷ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, Washington, DC 20231. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 (1-800-786-9199) and select option 2.